ATTACHMENT 1 SeniorCare income limits and annual out-of-pocket expense requirements

The table below lists the income limits and annual out-of-pocket expense requirements for SeniorCare program participants. When purchasing drugs, SeniorCare participants must use Wisconsin Medicaid-certified pharmacies. SeniorCare will automatically track drug costs that are applied to the spenddown and deductible from claims submitted by certified pharmacies.

Income Limits*	Annual Out-of-Pocket Expense Requirements and Benefits
\$14,176 per individual and \$19,104 per couple annually.*	 No deductible or spenddown. Pay a \$5 copayment for each covered generic prescription drug and a \$15 copayment for each covered brand name prescription drug.
\$14,177 to \$21,264 per individual and \$19,105 to \$28,656 per couple annually.*	 \$500 deductible per person. Pay discounted price for drugs until the \$500 deductible is met. After \$500 deductible is met, pay a \$5 copayment for each covered generic prescription drug and a \$15 copayment for each covered brand name prescription drug.
\$21,265 or higher per individual and \$28,657 or higher per couple annually.*	 Pay retail price for drugs equal to the difference between your income and \$21,265 per individual or \$28,657 per couple. This is called "spenddown." Drug costs for spenddown will be tracked automatically. During the spenddown, there is no discount on drug costs. After spenddown is met, meet a \$500 deductible. Pay discounted price for drugs until the \$500 deductible is met.
*These income amounts are based on the 2002 federal poverty guidelines, which increase by a small percentage each year.	After the \$500 deductible is met, pay a \$5 copayment for each generic prescription drug and a \$15 copayment for each brand name prescription drug.

Income limits and out-of-pocket expense requirements are calculated as of May 2002.